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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Kindly preliminarily amend this application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Add the following new claims.

--27. A method of treating a disease or disorder in a human in need of such treatment comprising:

i) constructing a first recombinant expression vector encoding a light chain of an antibody and constructing a second recombinant expression vector encoding a heavy chain of said antibody,

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